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FORM DEAD CODE ELIMINATION**

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1. A list of documents; and
2. General remarks.

Enclosed herewith is Forms PTO/SB/08A and PTO/SB/08B.

1. Document
 - a. U.S. Patent No. 5,465,374 issued November 7, 1995 to Dinkjian et al.;
 - b. U.S. Patent No. 6,035,124 issued March 7, 2000 to Ng;
 - c. U.S. Publication No. 2005/0198468A1 published September 8, 2005 to Rubin et al.; and
 - d. ROSEN, BARRY K. et al.; Global Value Numbers and Redundant Computations; 1988; pages 12-27; supplied by the British Library, www.bl.uk.

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